

**Our destination is more
than our route.**

Drive at a safe speed.

DAD'S BIRTHDAY 10 mi.

SPEED
LIMIT
40



Follow these tips for a safer journey.



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Slow down in work zones. Work zones present hazards like lane shifts, sudden stops, uneven surfaces, equipment, and workers. Stay alert and be prepared to stop.



Check the weather on your route. Hazardous conditions like rain or snow can greatly increase CMV stopping distance. Drive at an appropriate speed to avoid the risk of a crash.



Be aware of long stopping distance. Maintain a safe speed so you can stop promptly if you need to.



Complete vehicle pre-checks. Ensure you conduct pre-trip safety inspections, particularly for tires and brakes. This helps you control speed and your vehicle throughout your journey.



Review your route ahead of departure. Be aware of detours, steep grades, and road conditions to anticipate when you need to slow down. Remember that large vehicles gain speed quickly downhill.



Reduce speed on curves and ramps. Posted speed limits are intended for passenger vehicles. CMVs should reduce speed further on curves and entrance/exit ramps to avoid rollovers.



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